



NATIVITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

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DATES TO REMEMBER:

December 18-19:
Santa's Workshop

December 20:
Christmas program at
7:00 PM in the
church

December 21:
Awards assembly at
8:00; No daycare

Dec. 22-Jan. 6:
Christmas vacation

January 7: School
resumes

January 14: Scolio-
sis assessment

January 21: Martin
Luther King, Jr. Hol-
iday; SCHOOL NOT
IN SESSION.

Jan. 27-Feb. 2:
Catholic Schools'
Week

January 27: Catho-
lic Schools' Mass at
9:00 am in the
church

January 29: Parent
Appreciation Day
continental breakfast

January 31: Student
Appreciation Day

February 5-7: Man-
datory parent Meet-
ing in levels (see cal-
endar)

February 8: Teach-
er Appreciation Day

February 8: Bingo
Night.

We Pray for Children...

I got up early one morning and rushed right into the day;
I had so much to accomplish that I didn't take time to pray.
Problems just tumbled around me, and heavier came each task;
"Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered.
He answered, "You didn't ask."



I wanted to see joy and beauty-
But the day toiled on, grey and bleak;
I wondered why God didn't show me,
He said, "But you didn't seek."

I tried to come into God's presence, I used all my keys at the lock;
God gently and lovingly chided: "My child, you didn't knock."

I woke up early this morning and paused before entering the day;
I had so much to accomplish that I had to take time to pray.



FAMILY BINGO NIGHT and **TEACHER APPRECIATION LUNCHEON** will be **FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 8**. We may have 4 DISNEYLAND tickets to raffle. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us.



First Trimester Awards will be distributed on
Friday, December 21 at 8:00 am (for grades K-8).
Following the awards, 7th grade will be selling Christmas
goodies to raise funds for their project in Ethiopia.



Buy your Bingo Ball for only \$5.00 and have a 1 in 75 chance of sitting in the FRONT ROW at the Christmas Program.



Family Envelope Contents:
Christmas Program ticket order form
Church envelopes

The CHRISTMAS PROGRAM will be held in the church on Thursday, December 20 @ 7:00 PM.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

program?
For only **\$5.00**, you can buy a bin-

go ball and have a **1 in 75 chance** of getting the **FIRST ROW (8 seats)**. The winner will be reimbursed if another pew has been purchased. See Martha or a PFA Board Member for details. Tickets are on sale outside the school office before and after school.

You are able to purchase an entire pew or individual seats. **GENERAL** seating is \$5.00 each. **PREFERRED** and **RESERVED** ticket holders will enter the church through the main doors (on Tyler). **GENERAL** ticket holders will line up by the doors closest to the **CHURCH** bathrooms. Doors will open at 6:30 PM for **GENERAL** seating. **SEATS MAY NOT BE SAVED FOR GENERAL SEATING.**



ALSO, would you like to sit in the VERY FIRST ROW at the Christmas

Santa's Workshop

Santa's Workshop will be on **December 18**. Your child can do all of his/her Christmas shopping right here at school. We have **LOTS** of items for your child to purchase for friends and family. **A special**

envelope will be sent home on **Monday, Dec. 17** for students in grades TK-grade 3 that will allow you to designate how much you want your child to spend on various people. Students in grades TK-2 will have a *personal shopping assistant* (their buddies) to help them with their purchases. **Santa's Workshop** will be open until 3:30 PM on Tuesday for your shopping convenience. Final day of shopping will be Wed from 8:00-10:00 am.



Our Lady of Guadalupe

Please join the Student Council as they lead the **Rosary** for the parish in preparation for the **Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe**. We will be gathering in the parish center (across Montecito Dr.) on **Tuesday, December 11 at 7:00 PM**. This is a great opportunity to spend a short period of time in prayer during this Advent season. Refreshments will be provided.

